

Docket No. 216092US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Miho HATANAKA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/987,262

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FOR: COMPOSITE OXIDE POWDER, A METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME AND A CATALYST USING THE SAME



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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.


- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

The following is responsive to the Official Action dated April 15, 2004, concerning  
the above-identified application:

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Comments** begin on page 10 of this paper.